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DISTRICT BOARD, BANGALORE.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE TENTH ORDINARY MEETING OF THE BANGALORE DISTRICT BOARD
HELD AT BANNERGHATTA ON SATURDAY THE 30TH NOVEMBER 1929.

Present.

B. Abdur Rahmon Esqr., B.A. ... President
B. M. Munisamappa Esqr. ... Vice-President

Members.

Present ... 29 | Absent ... 7 Vacant ... 1

Dr. Miss. Albuquerque; Mrs. K. H. Ramaiah; Miss. Ananthasubramaniam; the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division; the Registrar of Co-operative Societies in Mysore; the Officiating Director of Industries and Commerce; the District Forest Officer; the District Health Officer; the District Medical and Sanitary Officer; the District Excise Officer, the District Educational Officer; the Assistant Director of Agriculture; the Superintendent of Government Gardens; the Personal Assistant to the Chief Conservator of Forests; the Superintendent of Industrial Workshop; the Amildar of Anekal Taluk and the Economic Lecturer were present on invitation.

A. PROCEEDINGS OF THE LAST MEETING.

Resolution.—Confirmed.

B. DEFERRED SUBJECTS.

1. Letter No. E. 1595—27-28, dated the 20th March 1929, from the District Educational Officer, Bangalore, regarding the construction of a school building out of cess funds at Are-Bommanahalli, Nelamangala Taluk on the site gifted by Mr. Rahmon Khan.
Education Sub-Committee's Resolution.—

May be sanctioned.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

2. Letter No. C. 508—28-29, dated 27th May 1929, from the District Economic Superintendent, forwarding the application of Mr. Abdul Wahab for a grant of Rs. 150 out of the Economic Development Funds for a book in Urdu on Poultry Rearing.
Economic Development Committee's Resolution.—

The Committee is not prepared to pay.

Resolution.—Approved.

C. ORDINARY SUBJECTS.

1. Government Order No. G. 3251-72—Sany. 24-29-3, dated 14th October 1929, regarding the Report on Sanitation in Mysore for the calendar year 1928.

Resolution.—Recorded.

2. Government Order No. L. 2432-49—L. B. 97-28-1, dated 28th September 1929, regarding the inspection of offices of the District Boards and the Village Panchayets by the Deputy Commissioner.

Resolution.—Recorded.

3. Government Order No. L. 7—L. B. 30-29, dated 15th October 1929, specifying the number of members that are to be returned to District Board, Bangalore, from the several general constituencies in the District.

Resolution.—Resolved that the former resolution of the Board to be re-submitted to Government for their consideration.

4. Government Order No. L. 3166—L. B. 111-28-45, dated 1st November 1929, giving discretion to District Boards to levy tolls on cattle and other animals passing out of or coming into the State through District Fund Frontier toll-gates at the rates specified therein.

Resolution.—Recorded.

5. Letter No. C. 103—29-30, dated 15th August 1929, from the District Economic Superintendent, forwarding proposals for Economic Development in the District.
Economic Development Committee's Resolution.—

(1) Regarding the establishment of a Spinning Centre in the Bangalore District:—
Resolved that a regular Spinning Centre may be opened in the District on the lines of Badanwal with a working Capital of Rs. 3,500 and the Government be approached with a request to meet monthly establishment charges.

(2) Regarding the supply of fruit plants to the people in Taluk parts:—
Resolved that necessary transport charges may be paid for carrying fruit plants from the Lal-Bagh garden for free distribution among poor people in Taluk parts.

(3) Regarding the establishment of an Agarbatti Factory in the District:—
Resolved that an Agarbatti Factory may be started for demonstration purposes with a view to popularise the industry among rural population.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

6. Letter No. L. 1176—L. B. 175-28-2, dated 13th August 1929, from the General Secretary to Government regarding the holding of District Board Meetings once in every two months.

Resolution.—Recorded.

7. Letter No. L. 1355-71—L. B. 17-28-61, dated 23rd August 1929, from the General Secretary to Government calling for the views of the Board regarding the increase of scale of pay of Sanitary Inspectors from Rs. 87 to Rs. 100 per mensem.

Resolution.—Accepted.

8. D. O. No. 1668-69, dated 31st August 1929, from the General Secretary to Government inviting the views of the Board on the proposal of the Toll-gate Committee to give partial exemption to vehicles which paid the full fee at a Provincial Toll-gate within 25 miles of a District Fund or Municipal Toll-gate and *vice versa*.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

The Standing Committee recommends that within any 24 hours the first toll-gate should levy the full fees and the other toll-gates half rates.

Resolution.—Approved.

9. Letter No. L. 2899—L. B. 111-28-44, dated 17th October 1929, from the General Secretary to Government inviting the views of the Board in the matter of making arrangements with regard to the erection of warning posts near toll-gates and illuminating them during nights.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

Recommends as necessary.

Resolution.—Approved.

10. Letter No. G. 5234—Med. 107-29-2, dated 21st October 1929, from the General Secretary to Government inviting the resolution of the Board with regard to the appointment of ten midwives in the District during 1929-30.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

Recommends as necessary, the cost to be met with from provision in the Budget.

Resolution.—Approved.

11. Letter No. L. 2940—L. B. 22-29-17, dated 21st October 1929, from the General Secretary to Government inviting the resolution of the Board in the matter of entertaining a care-taker on Rs. 9 per mensem to look after the newly constructed Musafirkhana at Anekal.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

Recommends as necessary.

Resolution.—Approved.

12. Memo No. L. 3022-37, dated 25th October 1929, from the General Secretary to Government, in the matter of the extension of the period of the Board by four months more.

Resolution.—Recorded.

13. Letter No. L. 3207—M. L. 126-28-12, dated 14th November 1929, from the General Secretary to Government communicating that it is not possible to alter the order already passed in the matter of the District Board contributing Rs. 8,000 towards the construction of a Town Hall at Channapatna.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

No opinion to offer.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Government may be requested to reconsider the former resolution of the District Board.

14. Letter No. D. 1031—Edn. 186-28-8, dated 31st July 1929, from the Secretary to Government, Development Departments, intimating that it is not necessary to alter the existing practice regarding the construction of school buildings.

Education Sub-Committee's Resolution.—

Recorded.

Resolution.—Approved.

15. Letter No. D. 3308-23—C. V. 14-28-13, dated the 23rd September 1929, from the Secretary to Government, Development Departments inviting the views of the Board on the Draft rules regarding Cattle Shows and Fairs.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

Recommends adoption in view of the progress of Self-Government Administration in the District.

Resolution.—Adopted.

16. Letter No. D. 4277—Edn. 196-26-9, dated 26th October 1929, from the Secretary to Government, Development Departments, inviting the views of the Board on the general principles of the Elementary Education Bill, along with the letter No. D. 2. 6148-68—28-29

dated 30th August 1929, from the Director of Public Instruction in Mysore, inviting the views of the Board in the matter of transfer of control of Primary Education from Government to District Boards.

Education Sub-Committee's Resolution.—

May be passed.

Resolution.—Approved.

17. Letter No. FL 2989-30-90, dated 4th November 1929 from the Financial Secretary to Government, inviting the views of the Board in the matter of extending the scheme of granting compassionate gratuities to the families of deceased District Board servants.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

Recommends as necessary.

Resolution.—Approved.

18. Letter No. D. 2-6. 282-70—29-30, dated 21st September 1929 from the Director of Public Instruction in Mysore, inviting suggestions in the matter of expansion of Primary Education in Rural areas out of the additional Government grant for 1929-30.

Education Sub-Committee's Resolution.—

Recorded.

Resolution.—Approved.

19. Letter No. P. 1-6365—27-28, dated 14th August 1929, from the Director of Public Instruction in Mysore, requesting sanction of the Board for providing necessary amount out of the Education Cess Funds for sinking a well on the School Farm at Kudur, Magadi Taluk.

Education Sub-Committee's Resolution.—

A well may be given.

Resolution.—Approved.

20. Letter No. D. 1835-36—27-28, dated 30th October 1929, from the Deputy Director of Public Instruction, Shimoga, requesting for the approval of the Board in the matter of utilising the amount of rent provided for the Urdu Primary School at Shikaripaliya, Anekal Taluk, for the benefit of the Urdu Boys' School at Thavarekere, Magadi Taluk as the amount is remaining unutilised in the former case.

Education Sub-Committee's Resolution.—

May be done.

Resolution.—Approved.

21. D. O. letter No. A. 4-4334-290—28-29, dated 11th October 1929, from the Director of Public Instruction in Mysore, proposing the transfer of the Middle School from Hudi to Kadanur owing to the fact that the school at the former place is not thriving for want of Feeder schools.

Education Sub-Committee's Resolution.—

May be done.

Resolution.—Approved.

22. Letter No. S. 45—29-30, dated 8th October 1929, from the District Educational Officer, Bangalore, forwarding for approval of the Board a statement of the equipment required for the Primary and Middle Schools in the District out of the allotment available under Education Cess.

Education Sub-Committee's Resolution.—

May be sanctioned. The District Educational Officer, may be requested to furnish the names of schools to which the furniture is supplied.

Resolution.—Approved.

23. Letter No. C. 711—29-30, dated 9th August 1929, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, suggesting that a road be formed from Sangama to Mekedat, Kankanhalli Taluk.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

24. To construct a Travellers' Bungalow at Sangama in Kankanhalli Taluk.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

25. D. O. letter No. C. C. 86—29-30, dated 14th November 1929, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, forwarding the provisional Tour Programme of the Dewan Sahib in Bangalore District.

Resolution.—Address to be presented at Channapatna. A Committee consisting of the following members be formed for the purpose:—

(1) The President, (2) Mr. V. Venkatappa, (3) Mr. B. H. Sanjivappa, (4) Mr. F. M. Abdul Quddus, (5) Mr. N. V. Narayana Murthy, B.A., B.L., (6) Mr. G. Venkataramana Gowda, (7) Mr. Puttaramachetty, (8) Mr. D. Srikantha Rao, (9) Mr. Veere Gowda, (10) Mr. B. Mallappa, (11) Mr. Guruswamy Gowda, (12) Rao Bahadur, B. V. Venkataswamy Naidu, (13) Mr. A. Hayes, (14) Mr. S. N. Sitarama Rao, (15) Mr. S. Puttanna, (16) Mr. M. S. Linga Gowda, (17) The Vice-President, (18) Mrs. E. I. Chinnappa, (19) Mr. B. Srinivasa

Iyengar, and (20) Mr. T. Rangaswamy. Out of this a small sub-committee to be constituted to draft the address.

26. Laying the foundation stone of the District Board Office Building in the site newly purchased.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

The site may be enlarged by the purchase of another site by the side of the present one, and the foundation stone laid early.

Resolution.—Sanctioned and resolved that His Highness the Yuvaraja may be approached with a request to graciously lay the foundation stone; a small committee to be constituted.

27. Letter No. Nil, dated 14th November 1929, from the Superintendent, Maternity Hospital, Bangalore, appealing for a handsome amount from the District Board for equipping a ward of not less than 25 beds in the Hospital.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

Recommends the grant of 25 beds costing Rs. 15,000.

Resolution.—A sum of Rs. 25,000 to be paid on the clear understanding that the ward should be called "The Bangalore District Board Pavillion" consisting of not less than 25 beds exclusively for the use of the patients from the interior of the District.

28. Letter No. 437, dated 28th August 1929, from the Executive Engineer, forwarding an estimate, amounting to Rs. 3,771 for the construction of a cause way across the jungle stream, running in the Ghati-Subramanya Road and to improve the road.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

Standing Committee recommends the grant of Rs. 3,000.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

29. Letter No. 1115, dated 26th August 1929, and letter No. 999, dated 7th October 1929, from the Superintendent of Sericulture in Mysore and the Assistant Superintendent of Sericulture, Channapatna respectively recommending the grant of scholarships for Sericultural training.

Economic Development Committee's Resolution.—

Resolved that Rs. 750 be provided for awarding sericultural scholarships, etc.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

30. Letter No. 1838, dated 3rd October 1929, from the Assistant Director of Agriculture, Mysore Circle, requesting for the District Board grant for Agricultural Development works as usual.

Economic Development Committee's Resolution.

Resolved that Rs. 750 be paid on the understanding of the refund of the lapsed amount as per resolution of the District Board Meeting held at Sangama.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

31. Letter No. 90, dated 13th September 1929, from the President, Doddballapur Town Municipal Council, recommending the grant of some allowance to one Jyotirajara Ramiah of Doddballapur for treating Rheumatic patients, etc.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—

No allotment.

Resolution.—Approved.

32. D. O. Letter No. C. C. 86—29-30, dated 26th November 1929, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, in the matter of fitting the Travellers' Bungalow at Kankanahalli with electric lights.

Standing Committee's Resolution.

Recommends a rate of Annas 8 plus Annas 4 per day after the electric lights are fitted up.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

33. Letter No. L. 3254—L. B. 108-29-1, dated 7th November 1929, from the General Secretary to Government, inviting the resolution of the Board in the matter of selecting the site for holding the Park Fair during December 1929.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Fair be held on the same area as was held on the last occasion.

34. Proposition brought forward by Mr. B. H. Sanjivappa and others regarding the grant of a medal to one Honnegowda, Forester, Ragihalli Forest, as a reward for his shooting a big tiger face to face.

Resolution.—Resolved that a Gold medal be presented.

Next meeting to be held in the month of March 1930.

B. ABDUR RAHMAN,
President.